

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CHLOE PSALM JERI BORDEN,

Plaintiff,

v.

ETHAN BARE and JEREMY  
MALICOAT,

Defendants.

No. 1:20-CV-01103-AWI-EPG

SCREENING ORDER

ORDER FINDING SERVICE OF  
COMPLAINT APPROPRIATE AND  
FORWARDING SERVICE DOCUMENTS TO  
PLAINTIFF

(ECF No. 1)

On August 8, 2020, Plaintiff Chloe Psalm Jeri Borden ("Plaintiff"), proceeding *in forma pauperis*, filed the complaint commencing this action under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The Court has screened Plaintiffs' complaint pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B) and finds that the complaint states cognizable claims against Bare and Malicoat under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 sufficiently to proceed passed the screening stage. The Court also finds the complaint appropriate for service of process.

Accordingly, it is HEREBY ORDERED that:

1) Service is appropriate for the following defendants:

a. Ethan Bare

b. Jeremy Malicoat

2) The Clerk of Court shall SEND Plaintiffs two (2) USM-285 forms; two (2) summons; a

1 Notice of Submission of Documents form; an instruction sheet; and one (1) copy of the  
2 complaint filed on August 8, 2020 (ECF No. 1).

3 3) Within **thirty (30) days** from the date of service of this order, Plaintiff shall complete the  
4 attached Notice of Submission of Documents and submit the completed Notice to the Court  
5 with the following documents:

- 6 a. A completed summons for each of Bare and Malicoat;  
7 b. A completed USM-285 form for each of Bare and Malicoat; and  
8 c. Three (3) copies of the complaint filed on August 8, 2020 (ECF No. 1).

9 4) Plaintiff need not attempt service on Defendants and need not request waiver of service.

10 Upon receipt of the above-described documents, the Court will direct the United States  
11 Marshals Service to serve Defendants pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4 without  
12 payment of costs.

13 5) Alternatively, Plaintiff may serve either or both Defendants themselves. If Plaintiff  
14 chooses this option, Plaintiff shall notify the Court within **thirty (30) days** that she will be  
15 serving Bare, Malicoat, or both with the assistance of her counsel.

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17 IT IS SO ORDERED.

18 Dated: **August 14, 2020**

19 /s/ Eric P. Gray  
20 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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